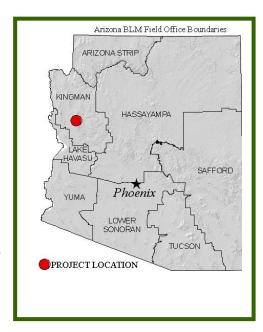
Gigi Girl Mine Project

Need

The Gigi Girl Mine is located within the Bureau of Land Management's (BLM) Colorado River District in Mojave County, Arizona. The mine's exposed shafts and adits pose a high risk to public safety at this time. This project will install access barriers and fencing to reduce public safety risks and to protect sensitive cultural resources and wildlife habitat. This project began in March 2010 with completion planned in June 2010.

Recovery Act Funding

The BLM-Arizona competitively awarded the contract for this project to the Xcavation Company for \$2470 as part of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA).



Benefits

The reclamation work will contract for closure of dangerous shafts, and adits to prevent entry by the public, thereby mitigating this public safety hazard. The fabrication and installation of bat gates and cupolas will also preserved bat habitat in abandoned mine workings. This will allow the public to have safe recreation opportunities on public lands administered by the BLM.



More Information

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